## ROCKS

JAN. 30 - Many of the children around here have taken advantage of being out of school and enjoyed the snow. More snow on the way. Hope they are mistaken. Days are getting longer.

A baby shower was given Teresa Elder and Debbie Taylor on January 23rd. They received many nice gifts.

Get well wishes go out to Weslene Wooldridge who is a patient at Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Webber, "Are all smiles". It's a boy, Lawrence, Jr.

The Rocks Homemakers Club served supper to the Pamplin Ruritan members on Tuesday night.

The Rocks Extension Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Mary Edith Morris on February 2nd at 7:30 p.m. (note change of place).

A number attended the Christian Life Conference at Eagle Eyrie, Friday at 2 p.m. and Saturday morning ending at 1 p.m.

Sorry to hear Mrs. W. B. Ranson is back in the hospital again. Hope she may soon be well and around.

A number went to see Otis Ranson last week. May be have a speedy recovery.

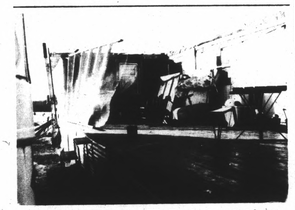
It was examination time at ACHS last week. The session has passed the half way mark.

**FEBRUARY - HEART MONTH**

In his office at the State Capitol, Virginia's newly elected Governor, John N. Dalton signs a Certificate of Recognition proclaiming February as Heart Month. The proclamation indicated that "despite the advances of Medical science, diseases and malfunctions of the heart are still killers" and called attention to the work of the American Heart Association in Virginia.

Accompanying Governor Dalton was Mrs. Thomas E. Sheppard, former legislator and 1978 Virginia Campaign Chairman for the Heart Association.

Chairman for Appomattox County is Mrs. Delores Hopkins.



**WIND DAMAGE IN COUNTY** - Shortly after midnight last Wednesday, January 25th, Cloud Abernathy heard a noise so loud it could have been trains wrecking or a terrific explosion - it was the wind taking the porch off the rear of his mobile home located on his property off the Police Tower Road.

Mr. Abernathy said, "It seemed like an eternity before I could get my wife and boys out and to the safety of a motel in Appomattox." When he returned to his homesite, the roof of the mobile home had blown off and was resting against the power lines.

It was Johnny Knight and sons who, despite the extreme cold and high winds, went out and covered the mobile home with a tarpaulin. In addition to the Knights, Mr. Abernathy expressed graitude to the friends and neighbors who had helped in the time of crisis.

## STONEWALL

And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God. Romans 8-28.

Mrs. Cris Gallier is doing fine after a few days in hospital having tests made.

Mr. Crawford Davidson is doing about the same.

Mr. White Cuneo had the furnace to blow up in his face and got burned badly. He is in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler of Richmond Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jones and Ronnie and Richard visited Mr. and Mrs. I.B. Wheeler Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Lucy Stratton has the flu.

Sorry to report the critical condition of Miss Elva Stratton and Mrs. Mary Gilliam both lived in Hebron neighborhood in early life.

Mr. Hugh Bradford is about the same.

Mrs. Dancy McCraw came home from Luray. Her daughter, Mrs. Jessie Judy is better.

## BECKHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stallings, Wendy and Kristie of Belvedere. N. C. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore and Timmy Moore.

Traci Schmutz spent the weekend with Charlotte Moore.

Jerry May and Carolyn Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris, Melanie and Mrs. S. G. Martin.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin were Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin, Jr., Tammy Martin, and Mrs. Connie Reynolds. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin and boys.

Mr. Robert Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. Winston Martin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Robert Morris attended a birthday party honoring Mrs. T. R. Martin Jr. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Wilhoit and Dusty Sunday night.

Mrs. Charles Baldwin was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dalton Elder at Lynchburg General Hospital on Tuesday night. Mrs. Elder was taken sick on Monday and rushed to the hospital. She is at home now.

Many of the campers from this area enjoyed a supper at Evergreen Community Center on Saturday night.

Get well wishes goes out to Mrs. Jack Hamilton (nee Audrey Pugh) of Rt. 1, Appomattox who entered Va. Baptist Hospital on Sunday and will under go surgery on Monday.

Amy Morris was at church Sunday after being quite sick a few days last week. She went to school on Friday.

Our January Bible Study is planned for March 12 on Sunday night through Wednesday night, March 15. It will be held at Liberty Baptist Church. Study on Book of Exodus. Put this date on your calendar.

WMU Focus Week is Feb. 12-18th Home Mission Study will be held at Evergreen Baptist Church. Make plans to attend this.

Rocks Church host for the Pastors' Conference on February 6th.

Associational Bible Study School Team at Eagle Eyrie Feb. 3 - 4. Director - Mrs. Louise Roach.

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